

1 COOLANT TRANSFER MACHINE FOR
2 AUTOMOTIVE VEHICLE & METHOD

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4 RELATED PATENT APPLICATIONS & INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE
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6 This application is a continuation application of utility patent
7 application Serial No. 10/140,047, entitled "Coolant Transfer Machine
8 For Automotive Vehicle & Method," filed May 7, 2002, ^{now Patent No. 6,637,472,} which is based
9 on U. S. provisional patent application Serial No. 60/289,483, entitled
10 "Coolant Transfer Machine For Automotive Vehicle & Method," filed
11 May 8, 2001. If any conflict arises between the disclosure of the
12 invention in this application and that in the related provisional
13 application, the disclosure in this utility application shall govern.
14 Moreover, the inventors incorporate herein by reference any and all U.
15 S. patents, U. S. patent applications, and other documents cited or
16 referred to in this application or cited or referred to in the U. S. patents
17 and U. S. patent applications incorporated herein by reference.

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19 DEFINITIONS
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21 The words "comprising," "having," "containing," and "including,"
22 and other forms thereof, are intended to be equivalent in meaning and
23 be open ended in that an item or items following any one of these
24 words is not meant to be an exhaustive listing of such item or items, or
25 meant to be limited to only the listed item or items.

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27 BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION
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29 Servicing of automotive vehicles typically requires periodic